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TO AMEMBASSY ANKARA

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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM DASS DIKEOS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: SECURITY PROJECTS/ANKARA

REF: ANKARA 2252

1. I REGRET THE DELAY IN RESPONDING YOUR RECENT CABLE REGARDING SECURITY PROJECTS AT YOUR POST; HOWEVER, I WANTED TO MAKE SURE OF MY FACTS BEFORE REPLYING. I FULLY UNDERSTAND YOUR CONCERN REGARDING THE STATUS OF THESE PROJECTS. PERTINENT SY FILES REGARDING THE MYLAR PROJECT AND OTHER POST SECURITY PROPOSALS HAVE BEEN REVIEWED, AND I OFFER THE FOLLOWING AS TO THEIR STATUS OR ACTION TAKEN:

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A) MYLAR PROJECT

DEPARTMENT IS PREPARED TO SUPPORT THIS PROJECT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF MYLAR FOR THE PRIVATELY LEASED RESIDENCE. UNFORTUNATELY CURRENT LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY UNDER THE ANTI-TERRORISM ACT DOES NOT PERMIT FUNDING OF THIS TYPE FOR PRIVATE LEASES. THIS SITUATION HAS ARISEN AT SEVERAL

POSTS AND THE PROBLEM IS CURRENTLY UNDER REVIEW IN THE DEPARTMENT. FBO IS IN PROCESS OF AUTHORIZING AND FUNDING THE PROJECT FOR ITS GOVERNMENT-OWNED BUILDINGS. EUR/EX

HAS ALREADY APPROVED FUNDING FOR THEIR PORTION OF THE MYLAR PROJECT ON 4/5/78. RSO WAS RECENTLY ADVISED OF STATUS OF PROJECT TELEPHONICALLY.

B) RAMP TO CHANCERY LOT

DEPARTMENT PREVIOUSLY INFORMED POST THE RAMP PROPOSAL COULD NOT BE FUNDED AS AN ANTI-TERRORISM PROJECT. AFTER THE EMBASSY REPORTED IT HAD ALREADY INSTALLED THE RAMP AS AN EMERGENCY MEASURE CONNECTING THE CHANCERY PARKING LOT TO THE GARAGE AREA BY A GRAVEL ROAD, FBO HAS COVERED THE COSTS INCURRED BY THE EMBASSY OF 2,000 DOLLARS BUT NOT AS AN ANTI-TERRORISM PROJECT.

C) NEW VEHICULAR GATE/CHANCERY COMPOUND

THIS PROPOSAL HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED AND HELD IN ABEYANCE PENDING ACQUISITION OF THE RED CRESCENT PROPERTY. THE RSO AGAIN REQUESTED APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE FOR THIS PROJECT ON 2/21/78 BUT HE DID NOT INCLUDE DETAILED DESIGN DRAWINGS OR COST ESTIMATES. SY RESPONDED ON 3/6/78 THAT THE PROJECT COULD NOT BE FUNDED UNDER COUNTER-TERRORISM LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AND THAT A DETAILED PROPOSAL SHOULD BE RE-SUBMITTED TO FBO FOR THEIR REVIEW AND CONSIDERATION AS A MINOR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT.

D) SECURITY PROJECTS/VARIOUS RSO MEMO 12/29/77)

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E) LOBBY REDESIGN

DEPARTMENT IS AWAITING THE DETAILED PROPOSAL TO BE SUBMITTED BY POST TO FBO AND SY FOR CONSIDERATION.

F) GUARD/DRIVER FOR GUARD SUPERVISOR

SY HAS APPROVED THE REQUEST AND FUNDING WAS APPROVED BY

EUR/EX ON APRIL 6, 1978.

2. I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT PROMPT ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON

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